

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

A FORMAL REVIEW OF THE CURRENT)
STATUS OF TRIMBLE COUNTY UNIT NO. 1) CASE NO. 9934

O R D E R

On December 18, 1987, Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers ("KIUC") filed a motion requesting to extend the date for filing of prepared testimony by intervenors from December 23, 1987, to January 20, 1988. The motion cites the Commission's recent Order granting KIUC authority to take one additional deposition relating to the issue of the availability of power from the Ohio Valley Electric Corporation ("OVEC"), and states that additional depositions of individuals associated with OVEC and the Department of Energy are necessary. KIUC further states that it will be unable to complete its testimony in this case until all discovery is completed and requests an extension to January 20, 1988, to file testimony.

Based on the motion and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and hereby finds that the issue of availability of power from OVEC is a distinct and discrete issue to be considered in this proceeding. The December 23, 1987, filing date for intervenors testimony was established in the Commission's procedural Order entered October 27, 1987. Good cause has not been shown to modify the deadline for intervenors' testimony.

However, at the conclusion of the further discovery relating to OVEC the intervenors will be permitted to file supplemental testimony.

To allow sufficient time for the taking of additional depositions, intervenors' supplemental testimony limited to the issue of OVEC should be filed no later than January 27, 1988. To allow the parties and the Commission sufficient time to review this supplemental testimony, the hearing scheduled on January 27, 1988, should be postponed to February 9, 1988.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. KIUC's motion for an extension of time to file testimony be and it hereby is denied.

2. KIUC and other intervenors shall file no later than January 27, 1988, supplemental testimony, if any, limited to the issue of the availability of power from OVEC.

3. The hearing scheduled on January 27, 1988, be and it hereby is rescheduled to February 9, 1988 at 9 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, in the Commission's offices in Frankfort, Kentucky.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky this 22nd day of December, 1987.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For The Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director